

# WEEKLY REPORT FROM MAYOR AND COUNCIL

# Friday, June 17, 2022

# PROCLAMATION: JUNE AS LGTBQ+ MONTH

At the Regular Council meeting on June 14<sup>th</sup>, Mayor Ronald J. Frederick proclaimed June, designated as Pride Month, as LGBTQ+ month in the City of DuPont.

June commemorates the Stonewall riots, which occurred in June of 1969 and are generally recognized as the catalyst for the LGBT Rights Movement.

The Mayor encourages everyone to eliminate prejudice everywhere it exists, respect the rights of all people, and celebrate the great diversity of the City of DuPont.



#### COUNCIL MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

# June 14, 2022, Regular Council Meeting:

- An ordinance for the road vacation of Manchester Place was voted on and passed after a public hearing and a first and second reading.
- An ordinance to approve amendments to DMC Chapter 22.01 regarding Stormwater Regulations was voted on and passed after a public hearing and a first and second reading.
- With consensus from the Council, after the study sessions regarding a Student Resource Officer, a
  Business Roundtable Council Ad Hoc Committee, and results of the NovoaGlobal traffic
  enforcement study, each of these will move forward as future agenda items.
- Resolution No. 22-017 passed approving the Update to the Six-year TIP for the years 2023-2028 **Meetings** can be watched live or later at the following links:
  - City's YouTube channel (<a href="https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCI-nrLK1wNfpq3">https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCI-nrLK1wNfpq3</a> CeNJw40A)
  - Pierce County TV (<a href="https://www.piercecountytv.org/1306/DuPont-Live-Meetings">https://www.piercecountytv.org/1306/DuPont-Live-Meetings</a>).

**Agendas** (once published) are officially posted on the bulletin board at City Hall and available at the following link: <a href="https://dupont.civicweb.net/filepro/documents/777/">https://dupont.civicweb.net/filepro/documents/777/</a>.

**Minutes** are presented for approval at a future Council meeting and available afterwards at the following link: <a href="https://dupont.civicweb.net/filepro/documents/7/">https://dupont.civicweb.net/filepro/documents/7/</a>.

### **DUPONT FIRE DEPARTMENT**

# Private Medic Information:

 Over the past two weeks, DPFD responded to 36 calls and a Private Medic was not available.



Responses	
Medical/Vehicle Accident ALS	15
Medical/Vehicle Accident BLS	7
Electrical Problem	1
Service Call	5
System malfunction	5
Unintentional alarm	1
Excessive Heat, scorched, no fire	1
EMS Assist	1
TOTAL	36

Medical / Vehicle Accidents		
ALS	15	
BLS	7	
TOTAL	22	

Calls by time of day in 8-hour blocks:	
0000-0759	7
0800-1649	18
1700-2359	11
TOTAL	36

Calls by day of the week:		
Sunday	5	
Monday	4	
Tuesday	6	
Wednesday	4	
Thursday	4	
Friday	4	
Saturday	9	
TOTAL	36	

# DuPont Fire became a verified Advanced Life Support Agency (ALS) on 6-7-2022 at 0800

DuPont Fire would like to thank the Mayor, City Council, and City leadership for their support, hard work, and commitment to the ALS program. Chief Martin worked diligently the last 10 months investing countless hours to make ALS a reality, thus providing a higher level of care to our community. Hiring Firefighter Paramedics was made possible by filling various vacant positions from a retirement and members who left for other positions.

# **PUBLIC WORKS**

**DuPont-Steilacoom Road Updates -** Updates can be found on the City's website by clicking on the "**Construction Updates**" tab, then the "**DuPont-Steilacoom Road Updates**" link, or at the following link: <a href="https://www.dupontwa.gov/637/DuPont-Steilacoom-Road-Updates">https://www.dupontwa.gov/637/DuPont-Steilacoom-Road-Updates</a>.



Current Update: From 6/20-6/24, there will be a temporary traffic shift from west Wharf to Center.

Please note, there potentially could be intermittent traffic stops throughout the project to move equipment across the road, etc.

#### **PARKS & RECREATION**

Farmers Market - We are off to a wet start to our Summer Farmers Market, but vendor enthusiasm and excitement is high! The Parks & Recreation team is very proud of the variety of vendors this year and are excited to see everyone support our market. We are grateful to Amazon for supporting the market and allowing us to enhance the shopper's experience. Our market continues to offer fresh fruits and vegetables, flowers, local coffee, BBQ sauces, and much more! As a reminder, we will not have a market on July 8<sup>th</sup> due to the Independence Day holiday. <a href="https://www.dupontwa.gov/187/Parks-Recreation">https://www.dupontwa.gov/187/Parks-Recreation</a>.



Families are encouraged to look for the "SEEK Children's Corner" at the market. To encourage kids to play outdoors, our SEEK grant will offer arts and crafts, Little Chefs, balloon artists, etc. Please be sure and watch the City of DuPont's website for updated "SEEK Children's Corner" activities, www.dupontwa.gov.

**Go Fly A Kite!** - Parks & Recreation is headed to Ocean Shores! Teens are encouraged to sign up for a day trip to Ocean Shores on Wednesday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>. The cost to participate is \$20 and includes a chartered bus, lunch, ice cream and kite flying (kite included). This program is made possible through our SEEK grant. If the cost to participate is a financial hardship, please contact Amy Walker at (253) 912-5245. We want everyone to be able to participate! Registration and more information can be found here: https://www.dupontwa.gov/553/Kids.



Hometown 4<sup>th</sup> of July! - We are delighted to welcome back our hometown July 4<sup>th</sup> celebration and look forward to responsibly celebrating America together. This fun filled day will kick off with the DuPont Historical Society's Pancake Breakfast, a hometown parade, carnival in the park and fireworks at Patriots Landing! The City of DuPont is grateful for the financial support of Northwest Landing ROA and COA to help make this event a success. We are currently accepting vendor and parade applications.

Parks & Recreation and DuPont Police need volunteers to assist with this year's parade. Volunteers are needed to help secure intersections and monitor the safety of the parade route. If interested, please contact Parks & Recreation at (253) 912-5245. All 4<sup>th</sup> of July information, to include the celebrations schedule, can be found here: <a href="https://www.dupontwa.gov/532/Fourth-of-July-Hometown-Celebration">https://www.dupontwa.gov/532/Fourth-of-July-Hometown-Celebration</a>.

**Pop-Up Park: Buck & Elizabeth Show -** Join the City of DuPont Parks & Recreation for a Pop-Up Park on June 21<sup>st</sup> at 11am-1pm at PowderWorks Park for the Buck and Elizabeth Show, a folk puppeteer entertainer. Make sure to bring something to sit on, blankets and chairs!



# DUPONT POLICE DEPARTMENT WEEKLY REPORT



# Total Calls for Service 05/30/22 - 06/05/22: 228

Average: 32.57 calls per day

# **EMERGENCY & PATROL INCIDENTS:**

- 101 Security Check/Foot Patrol
- 07 Agency Assists
- 05 Wellness Checks
- 02 Stolen Vehicle Recovery
- 01 Unwanted Person(s)
- 01 Unwanted Subject
- 01 Motor Vehicle Collision
- 01 Verbal Domestic Violence
- 01 Attempted Motor Vehicle Theft
- 01 Animal At Large

# **CRIMES AGAINST PERSONS:**

• 01 Fraud

# **PROPERTY & OTHER CRIMES:**

- 01 Theft from Vehicle
- 02 Motor Vehicle Theft
- 02 Vandalism

# **ARRESTS & REFERRALS:**

• ARREST: Warrant (Reckless Driving)

# **DEPARTMENT NEWS (5/30/2022-6/5/2022):**

- One officer is currently undergoing field training.
- Officers conducted various traffic emphases throughout the city.
- Officers attended Standard Field Sobriety Test (SFST) Refresher Training.
- Bear trap set up by Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife currently being monitored.
- Officers were present at the City's first Farmers Market of 2022.

# Total Calls for Service 06/06/22 - 06/12/22: 204

Average: 29.14 calls per day

# **EMERGENCY & PATROL INCIDENTS:**

- 07 Agency Assists
- 04 Wellness Checks
- 03 Motor Vehicle Collision
- 03 Animal Complaint
- 02 Sex Offender Verification
- 01 Civil Standby
- 01 Narcotics Complaint
- 01 Medical Aid Call
- 01 Unwanted Loiterer
- 01 Stolen Vehicle Recovery

# **PROPERTY & OTHER CRIMES:**

- 01 Burglary
- 01 Motor Vehicle Theft
- 01 Theft
- 01 Eluding/Failure to Yield

05 Theft from Vehicle

# **ARRESTS & REFERRALS:**

 01 ARREST – Carjacking, Reckless Endangerment, Hit and Run, Assault

# **DEPARTMENT NEWS (6/6/2022-6/12/2022):**

- Officers were present at the City of DuPont Farmers' Market and gave out bicycle helmets.
- Two (2) officers attended state mandated Crisis Intervention Training (CIT).
- Sunday afternoon, DPD officers apprehended a Puyallup carjacking suspect who was reported to be at the 76 Station. Suspect was arrested and transported to St. Clare's Hospital for injuries which he received prior to apprehension. Puyallup PD took custody of the suspect at the hospital and the stolen vehicle was recovered by DPD at the 119 Exit off-ramp - outstanding work by our officers!

# **MEMORIAL DAY 2022 IN DUPONT:**

There is nothing we can think of more meaningful than honoring our nation's heroes - those who gave the ultimate sacrifice defending the rest of us - with an incredible community. Thank you <u>Wear Blue: Run to Remember</u> and military community from <u>Joint Base Lewis-McChord</u> for supporting and representing

America's treasure, our Gold Star families. It was an honor to have members of your police department on hand for this event - and it's our privilege to serve you. Lastly, a special thanks to the Soldiers from the 1-168th General Support Aviation Battalion of the Washington National Guard for the incredible photo op with DPD and the crew of the CH-47 Chinook (pictured)...Just say the word, and we will have that bad machine painted black & white with "DuPont Air-One" stenciled on the side as our first air unit!



# REPORTING AN INCIDENT? NEED AN OFFICER?

- To report an emergency, dial 9-1-1
- To report a non-emergency, dial (253) 287-4455
- ➤ If you aren't sure, let us help you by dialing (253) 964-7060

If you have non-urgent questions, suggestions, want to file a complaint or commend a D.P.D. staff member, we appreciate the opportunity to assist you. You may reach us via email at Police@dupontwa.gov or by telephone at (253) 964-7060.

# **UPCOMING MEETINGS**

Published agendas can be found on the website's homepage; click on the meeting date on the City of DuPont Calendar and then "Download Agenda".



Date	Time	Meeting	
6/28/2022	6:00 PM	Regular Council Meeting	
7/4/2022	6:00 PM	Parks & Recreation Meeting	
7/11/2022	6:00 PM	Planning Commission Meeting	
7/12/2022	11:00 AM	Civil Service Meeting	
7/12/2022	6:30 PM	Regular Council Meeting	

#### **ACTIVITIES - SAVE THE DATES**

Date	Activity	Location / Information
6/20-24/2022	Summer Olympics Camp (ages 7-14)	https://www.dupontwa.gov/548/Camps
6/20-24/2022	Welcome Back Art Camp (grades 1st – 5th)	https://www.dupontwa.gov/548/Camps
6/21/2022	Pop Up Parks at PowderWorks Park	https://www.dupontwa.gov/195/Events
6/22/2022	Go Fly a Kite at Ocean Shores (see Rec Guide)	https://www.dupontwa.gov/187/Parks-Recreation
6/23-30/2022	Car Camp (ages 7-10)	https://www.dupontwa.gov/548/Camps
6/24/2022	Train Day (see Rec Guide)	https://www.dupontwa.gov/187/Parks-Recreation
7/11-15/2022	Traditional Arts & Crafts Camp (6 <sup>th</sup> -8 <sup>th</sup> grade)	https://www.dupontwa.gov/548/Camps
7/18/2022	ED-ZOO-CATION event	https://www.dupontwa.gov/553/Kids
7/18-22/2022	Challenger International Soccer Camp	https://www.dupontwa.gov/548/Camps
8/8-12/2022	Get Messy! Art Camp (grades 1st – 8th)	https://www.dupontwa.gov/548/Camps